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THE CHINESE VICEROY.

Li Hung Chang Arrives at Vancouver—Reception by His Fellow Countrymen.

An Enthusiastic Welcome—His Excellency Highly Pleased With His Visit.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 14.—(Special)—The special train bearing Li Hung Chang and suite was scheduled to arrive at eleven o'clock yesterday (Sunday) morning. Exactly at the appointed time the train steamed into the station. Although the time of the arrival of the train was not known by the general public fully 4,000 people were gathered around the station grounds, the Chinamen and all holding permits from the C.P.R. being placed at points of vantage along the wharf. On the arrival of the train the following distinguished Chinamen met the Viceroy and showed him full Oriental respect, prostrating themselves upon the ground. Among them were Won On Bung, special commissioner from Peking; Le Chung, Victoria; Lee Mong Kow, Victoria; Yip Youen, Vancouver; Ken Youen, Victoria; Lou Wing, Victoria; Yip Sing, Vancouver; Lam Qung, New Westminster, etc., etc. His Excellency was carried from the train in his chair. The carriage was drawn by four white horses. On the bridge leading to the wharf the Viceroy passed through long lines of Chinamen from the Sound cities, Victoria and San Francisco, all gaily decked in silken robes. The silken robed Oriental dignitaries all gave the royal salute which was heartily responded to.

His Excellency was accompanied in his carriage by the Mayor and Dr. Horsey, representing the Dominion government. In appearance he is a powerful looking man, mentally and physically. In passing under the beautiful arch built by the Chinamen of Vancouver, he admired it with a significant wave of the hand. As he approached the boat he met his fellow-countrymen drawn up in line, who bent their heads with the hands on the knee and eyes cast down—the Oriental token of submission. Above them on the steamer the bluejackets showed their respect by lifting their hats. At the boat the distinguished diplomat again took to his sedan chair and was carried on board to the booming of the cannon from H.M.S. Comus, whose yardarms were manned by bluejackets and whose topmast was decorated by the Chinese standard. On all the shipping in the harbor, together with public buildings and Chinese residences, floated the yellow bunting of China or the Union Jack. On arriving on board His Excellency went straight to his cabin to rest. At 3 o'clock he was driven around town and to the park and expressed himself as particularly pleased with Vancouver's natural advantages. His Excellency afterwards consented to give an interview to the Board of Trade, the Council, prominent Chinamen and the press.

The Chinese ambassador received delegates from 8:30 to 12 to-day. He received from and returned to the board of trade a long address. The ambassador spoke of the fisheries, said it was a shame so much good timber was burning down, and asked from President Bell-Irving one hundred questions regarding Canadian politics and trade. At 9:15 the mayor and council presented an address and received one in reply from the Viceroy, who said he was about to leave the youngest city in America for the oldest country on the globe. He highly praised Vancouver and Canadian institutions. At 10 Lieut.-Governor Dewdney, the Captain of the Comus and Major Townley of the Fifth Regiment presented their respects. The ambassador thanked the Queen's representative in British Columbia for coming so far to see him, and hoped he would work hard to populate the province. He regretted he could not call at Victoria and could not pay his respects to Premier Turner.

The ambassador evidently considered Lieut.-Governor Dewdney's visit the most important, for he held His Honor's hand fully a minute, his disengaged hand resting in a friendly way on the Lieut.-Governor's shoulder. At conclusion of the interview Li Hung Chang accompanied the Lieut.-Governor towards the gang plank, a mark of special favor—as through all the other interviews he remained seated. He asked the Lieutenant-Governor to write the Governor-General thanking him for his many kindnesses. For the captain of the Comus he prophesied promotion to the rank of rear admiral. He acknowledged that England was the greatest naval power in the world, and thanked Her Majesty's captain for the salute on his arrival.

At 10:30 there was an interview with former missionaries and Chinese civil servants, and at 11 with the consular corps of Vancouver. He spoke graciously of each country to its respective representative, especially of Germany, sending through Consul Wulffsohn a friendly message to Emperor William. The president of the chamber of commerce and the minister of foreign affairs also sent messages through the consuls of his good will to all the governments represented. At 2 o'clock all the available population of Vancouver was on the wharf to say good-bye. The ambassador bowed his farewell from the deck, while the city band, Chinese band and countless firecrackers made an impressive din and uproar dear to the Chinese heart. H.M.S. Comus fired an appropriate salute as the steamer Empress of China passed on her outbound voyage.

Although the Chinese residents of this city were disappointed last evening over Li Hung Chang's non-arrival they indulged in considerable celebrating in expectation of his coming. Some of the leading Chinese merchants, at the hour the Empress of China was looked for at the outer wharf set off great strings of fireworks, and for upwards of an hour or more Chinatown was all excitement. Two cartloads of fireworks and a band were stationed at the outer wharf ready for a greeting to the steamship as she came in sight, and it seemed as if nearly all Chinatown had turned out for the occasion, while fully a thousand whites kept them company till a late hour. Up to an early hour this morning, however, the steamship had not arrived, and probably owing to the foggy weather she had anchored somewhere for the night as a matter of precaution and will arrive here some time this morning.

DYNAMITERS ARRESTED

Discovery of a Bomb Factory and Arrest of a Number of Persons.

Tynan One of the Principal Parties—The Press on the Developments.

ANTWERP, Sept. 14.—Yesterday a dynamite factory was discovered here and a number of persons, among them the well known Tynan, were arrested in connection with it.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—A dispatch from Boulogne to the Associated Press says that Tynan spent Saturday evening in the bar of an hotel drinking and standing for drinks freely and talking politics. He retired to bed intoxicated at two o'clock in the morning, and was still under the influence of drink when he was arrested. He assumed his innocence till Detective-Inspector Walsh revealed to him all his recent movements, when he admitted his identity.

The formalities of extradition in Tynan's case will occupy a fortnight. Tynan's mother and her son who are living at Kingstown, near Dublin, declare that they never knew of his movements, and that they supposed he was canvassing for a political party in the United States. His mother was preparing to go to New York to see him.

The secretary of the British Amnesty Association, speaking of the arrest of Tynan, says that they will afford Tynan means for his defence, but that he will have no sympathy if he has been guilty of any recent conspiracy.

The Times has an editorial this morning commenting at length on the arrests at Boulogne, Glasgow and Rotterdam of a number of persons suspected of complicity in a dynamite plot, in the course of which it says: "Unless the police have committed a succession of incredible blunders we are in the presence of a conspiracy of the same type as that for which Dr. Gallagher was sentenced. As we have all along contended, the irreconcilables are irreconcilable still and still remain murderous enough in their intent and strong enough in numbers to organize and to pay for a complicated and costly conspiracy against Great Britain. The lessons to be drawn are plain enough and the nation may be left to draw them for itself at the moment John Daly is enjoying triumphant receptions from his fellow-countrymen, Dr. Spence Watson, president of the society of friends of Russian freedom discredits the notion of a Fenian and Nihilist alliance. On the whole we are inclined to agree with him. Our Brussels correspondent hears that the Antwerp bomb factory has cosmopolitan aims, but there does not appear much evidence to support this view."

The Chronicle in its editorial on the subject points out that the new conspiracy has no root in Ireland, and that it is not even suggested by the police that the persons arrested have any connection with any organization, open or secret. The plot has been hatched, continued the Chronicle, in the drinking saloons of New York, and so openly and carelessly that every detail was known to the police from the inception of the scheme. Tynan might as well have explained the plot from house to house. Its all very strange and we want more light.

A Brussels dispatch to the Chronicle says: "Two thousand pounds sterling was found upon the persons arrested at Berchem, the suburb of Antwerp where the dynamite factory was situated. The police suspect fifteen other persons in various European capitals of complicity with the Berchem factory. Later information points to an attempt upon the life of the Czar having been planned at Breslau."

A later dispatch from Brussels to the Associated Press shows that there was a woman connected with the arrested conspirators. The house at Berchem, the suburb of Antwerp, where the police found the laboratory fully fitted with appliances and materials for the manufacture of bombs and explosives, was hired by a woman, and the police are searching for her. The Belgian police have also found in the house referred to finger and footprints. It is believed that this fact will serve to identify the men who occupied the house, and connect the right persons with this feature of the great conspiracy.

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Laurier Modifies His Chicago "Record" Interview—Grain Standards.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 14.—The Senate to-night had a discussion on Mr. Loughed's bill respecting foreign insurance companies. Sir Oliver Mowat stated that if the silver party become dominant in the ensuing presidential election in the States, the government would be disposed to accept an amendment to the insurance act requiring Canadian claims to be paid in gold.

The House of Commons to-night, on motion of Mr. Craig (Con.), unanimously passed a motion instructing the Speaker to issue an order prohibiting intoxicating liquors within the precincts of the house. Mr. Craig sharply reproved the Liberals for claiming credit for the recent order, which meant nothing. Now he proposed to test their sincerity. Mr. Laurier said if the feeling of the house was in favor of the motion the government would not oppose it.

Sir Charles Tupper said much the same on the part of the opposition.

Mr. Ellis said the resolution would be meaningless unless the Senate passed a similar motion.

The resolution was put and carried without a dissenting voice.

Hon. Mr. Laurier said to-day that he knew nothing of the report that Mr. Greenway is coming to Ottawa for a further conference on the school question.

The government announced to-day that the unsold portion of the Thousand islands would be withdrawn from sale.

Mr. Laurier modified his Chicago Record interview to-day by admitting that he was not thoroughly conversant with fishery matters in the Maritime Provinces. All he wanted was an amicable settlement of the fisheries dispute with the United States, and especially the abolition of purse seines. It is currently reported that Mr. Martin will get neither a judgeship nor a portfolio, and that he is coming down here to make arrangements with a Manitoba local member to vacate his seat.

Sir Frank Smith gives a categorical denial to the report that he is to marry Lady Thompson.

The Canadian Refinery Company obtained to-day a verdict against the crown from Justice Burbidge in the Exchequer court. The company received a cargo of about 86,000 pounds of raw sugar about the time the new duty of half a cent a pound by the tariff duty of 1895 was imposed. The vessel was reported at Sydney, but by the time it reached Montreal the new duty was in force and the judge held to-day that as raw sugar was free on the day she reported at Sydney no duty could be collected at Montreal. The amount involved is about $43,000. No doubt the government will make an appeal to the Supreme court from this decision.

Judge Burbidge also gave judgment to-day in favor of the American Dunlap Tire Co., and granted an injunction to the American company to prevent the latter from infringing upon their patent.

Mr. Douglass gives notice of a motion in favor of an investigation into the present methods of grading Manitoba wheat, with a view to correcting existing evils: he wants:

1. That the grain standard board of 1896 shall consist of at least one-half farmers or representatives of the farmers.

2. To make permanent the grades and standards with reference to No. 1 and 2 hard and Northern.

3. In fixing the permanent standards the board is to consider the varying qualities of wheat from year to year in the past.

4. The word "Manitoba" is to be prefixed to all permanent grades of wheat grown in the Northwest.

5. No. 1 hard to consist of at least 75 per cent. of hard wheat, 61 pounds to the bushel.

6. No. 2 hard of 66 per cent. hard wheat, of weight 60 pounds.

7. No. 1 Northern to consist of not less than 50 per cent. of hard wheat, weight 60 pounds.

8. The government to aid in securing the placing of such grades on the provincial grain exchanges and getting market quotations of the same.

MANITOBA SCHOOLS.

Archbishop Langevin Will Insist on All the Remedial Bill Calls For—"La Patrie."

MONTREAL, Sept. 14. — Archbishop Langevin, of St. Boniface, is the guest of Rev. Abbe Therien, of the St. Louis institute. He is en route to Winnipeg from Rome. Re the Manitoba schools, he said: "My attitude is the same as it was before my departure." This is taken to mean that His Grace will insist on obtaining all that the remedial bill called for. From friends of Archbishop Langevin it is learned that Mr. Laurier has not yet consulted the reprepentatives of the minority. It is also learned that the Pope will insist upon the vested rights of the Catholics. Archbishop Langevin will remain in Montreal a week.

MONTREAL, Sept. 14.—La Patrie, in reply to Mr. Laurier's repudiation of it in the House of Commons as a Liberal organ, says it represents the old Liberal guard and declares itself a Liberal newspaper, passionately French, and that it will continue to fight for its convictions.

Our "Curtain Department" is replete with the finest stock of Cretons, etc., to be seen anywhere in the Province. Weiler Bros. are agents for "Liberty" goods. x

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE

The Coal City—Good Templarism at Chemainus—Doings in Kootenay.

Interesting Developments — Moyea Group—Work at Beaver Creek —Rich Rossland.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Sept. 14.—A few days ago, James Craig, provincial road foreman, while following a panther near the mouth of Beaver creek, was surprised to see his dog stop and commence pawing the ground. On searching he found about 18 inches from the surface, the head, horns and hide of a young heifer. It is since thought that cattle thieves have been at work.

A number of very fine specimens of free milling quartz recently taken from the Van Anda mine on Texada island, were brought down by the Joan. In one of these a piece of gold three-quarters of an inch long and nearly half as thick was imbedded.

Postmaster Horne has placed in the Free Press window a sample of quartz taken from the Horne and Thomas claims, situated on the McLaughlin Range, south of Mount Arrowsmith, near Alberni. The veins from which the rock is taken are wide and well defined, and there is also on the same ledge a whitish quartz exactly similar to the Alberni ore, which is from 30 to 40 feet wide.

CHEMAINUS.

CHEMAINUS, Sept. 12.—The funeral of Mr. Leonard Dodgson, who died very suddenly of apoplexy on Wednesday last, took place to-day, Rev. Mr. Miller, of Cedar district, conducting the burial service.

Dr. Lewis Hall, of Victoria, paid an official visit to the Chemainus lodge, I.O.G.T., the result of his visit being increased interest in the work. Mrs. McDiarmid, S.J.T., has organized a Juvenile Temple.

Rev. Mr. Cleaver, of Victoria, held service in the school house on Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Howe is putting up a neat little cottage. Mr. James Crozier is finishing his new house. Mr. Ward is building an addition to his residence, and Mr. Frank Wilson has almost completed his house.

The Kosciusko is loading lumber for Western Australia. The Colorado of San Francisco is expected.

KAMLOOPS.

(From the Kamloops Sentinel.)

Tom Mitchell, a C.P.R. brakeman, recently lost a foot, having been run over by an engine at Craigellachie. His lantern went out and he stepped over to the other track to relight it, thinking that he was on the track that the engine was coming on, but unfortunately he stepped on the wrong track, the consequences being that the engine knocked him down and took off one foot.

A singular and fatal accident recently happened to the infant child of Joseph Gasse, a settler on Campbell's creek. The mother was lifting the child out of a wooden hammock in which it had been lying, when it slipped from her arms and fell with its back across the upright edge of the board which formed the side of the hammock. The child's head fell back, there was a slight gurgle at the throat and the little one expired.

FORT STEELE.

(From the Prospector.)

A new strike of gold quartz is reported on Weaver creek, where a number of prospectors are.

Mr. Sussman, of the C. P. R., and Mr. Stafford, of the Galt Coal Company, were in the Crow's Nest Pass recently examining the coal fields, and both expressed themselves highly pleased with what they saw.

David Griffith, who returned from Bull river on Tuesday, reports that his property is looking well. The ledge is about seven feet in width, and has well defined walls. The ledge matter is well mineralized, and assays give the following returns: Gold, $7; silver, 16 ounces; 33 per cent. copper and a large percentage of lead.

The owners of a number of claims on Perry creek will winter there and develop their property as fast as possible.

There are a large number of men at work on the Moyea group of mines. The St. Eugene has nearly 4,000 tons of ore on the dump, the Moyea has lately struck a large body of galena, and the Lake Shore also has some galena in sight. In the near future this will make a large silver lead camp.

ROSSLAND.

(From the Rossland Record.)

A conditional deed conveying an undivided half interest on the Gold Hunter group to the Walters company has been recorded. The group includes the Gold Hunter, Alabama and Sun Set Number Two.

J. T. Wilkinson, of the Vancouver World, and George Smyth, of Hamilton, Ont., have acquired a two-thirds interest in the Red Horse and Blue Grouse mineral claims, situated about two and a half miles southeasterly from Salmon Siding on the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway.

Judge McCreight has passed sentence on Everett, Kellem, Thompson and Chatterton, sentencing them to four years each in the New Westminster penitentiary for robbing Jack McNeeley, who had just sold his interest in the Mountain Chief mineral claim to Judge Dixon and received his money, amounting to $1,600.

REVELSTOKE.

(From the Kootenay Mail.)

The Lardeau prospects are all opening up well. The Trail smelter people have secured a property in Lardeau district, and other prominent concerns are paying attention to it. O. D. Hoar was in town this week carrying some beautiful specimens from a strike he has made on the north fork of the Lardeau.

In the Trout Lake camp the Horne-Payne Company are putting in a sleigh road from Galena bay to Staubart lake, to connect with the miners' road to the Forks. It is one of the [illegible] company, whose energetic representative is N. P. Snowden, to follow the sleigh road to the Forks with a tramway to be put in next spring. The Horne-Payne people own some most promising claims in Trout Lake camp and have already invested considerable money there. They own the Broadview, $20,000; Phillipsburg, $6,000; Old Sonoma, $9,000, and now they have purchased Dave Ferguson's and Jack Knowles' great discovery on the Silver Cup lead—the Towser and Sunlight—for, it is said, $35,000, making a grand total of $70,000.

On Saturday there arrived in Revelstoke Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grant Govan, of London, England. Mr. Govan is the managing director of the Gold Exploration and Development Company and acts in the same capacity for the War Eagle Mining Co., of London, in whose interests, his company having purchased that celebrated property, he is now visiting Kootenay.

NEW DENVER.

(From the Ledge.)

Dr. Bell-Irving, of Vancouver, has bonded the Neepawa, Baker Fraction and Argenta, on Ten-Mile creek, for $48,000. The terms are 10 per cent. down, 10 per cent. in ninety days and the balance in one year. If the survey be satisfactory the bond for $18,000 will live and be payable on the same dates as the other.

Assessment on the Blake, on the north fork of Carpenter creek, has caused the pay streak to widen several inches, displaying plenty of antimonial silver.

An agent of Patsey Clark recently offered a bond of $40,000 on the Lillie B., on Springer creek, but the terms were not satisfactory and the owners would not entertain the proposition.

VOLCANIC MOUNTAIN.

The Enormous Ore Bodies at Boundary Creek Being Developed.

The Olive Mining & Smelting Company Intend Building a Large Smelter.

Mr. Wm. Blewett, the well known mining man and one of the owners of the Van Anda, is back from a trip to the Boundary Creek country and leaves for Texada island this morning. He is thoroughly satisfied with the splendid showing the Van Anda has made, and now that development work have proved the richness and quantity of the ore machinery is to be placed in position, and as the mine opens up the working force will be added to just as speedily as there is room for more men.

Mr. Blewett is one of the largest owners in the wonderful Volcanic mines at Boundary Creek which have just been taken hold of by the Olive Mining and Smelting Co. with a capital of $20,000,000. Judge Shope, of Chicago, is president; J. C. Manley is vice-president, and H. W. Treat, of Chicago, is secretary and treasurer.

The mines—of which there are five, including the Volcanic, Iron Cap and Wolverine—are on a regular mountain of ore, 800 feet wide and 1,300 feet high, running from $10 to $60 in gold, silver and copper. R. W. Brown discovered this wonderful mountain some 12 years ago, Mr. Blewett says, and has gone on quietly developing the property to the extent of $12,000 or $15,000. Brown is better known as "Crazy" Brown, because nobody would believe that he had had such an enormous body of ore as he told of. He was laughed at for his pains, and could get no one to examine the property till Mr. Blewett went there a year ago to take a look at it. Mr. Blewett wants it distinctly understood that Brown is anything but crazy. In fact, he is a singularly capable man, and, what is more, does not touch whiskey, tea or coffee. Mr. Blewett when he saw the place was impressed with the enormous possibilities of the mines, and the Olive company is the result. The mines are in British Columbia, three or four miles from the boundary line add eight miles from Grand Forks. Incidentally Mr. Blewett thinks that Grand Forks will become the third city in the province, as it is the centre of a fine mineral country and has mining camps all around it. The vein of the big Volcanic find can be traced for 4,500 feet. The company are building quarters for 100 men and will put 40 miners at work at once developing. The ore is of a smelting character, the pay streak going 9½ in copper, $23 in gold and 11 to 14 ounces in silver. How wide the vein is has not yet been found. So great is the quantity of ore in sight that Mr. Blewett states that the company feel justified in erecting a smelter with 500 tons capacity.

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(From the B. C. Mining Journal.)

The Major Dupont party, consisting of Messrs. Dupont, Hunter, Bell, Harvey and Nickson, have left for Quesnelle Forks to decide upon the proposed operations on the dam across the foot of Quesnelle lake for the purpose of reservoiring the water of the lake, thereby drying the bed of the river from Quesnelle lake to the Forks of the Quesnelle, a distance of about ten miles. Mr. Joseph Hunter, M.P.P., who is an engineer of experience and reputation, will have charge of the work. Mr. H. P. Bell will be consulting engineer. Major Dupont said yesterday: "We shall push the work as fast as we can to advantage and hope to have the dam in in the early spring. The plans have been submitted to eminent authorities, among others Abernethy of London, and they are found to be complete and carefully made." The shareholders of the company are mostly in England, although Mr. Peirson is a large shareholder. It is at his expense that the diving and other operationg were conducted on this river some three years ago, the grand results of which have no doubt aided very materially in bringing about the present successful issue. Mr. Pierson has bonded the North Fork for a very handsome sum, rumor says well up into six figures. River-bed mining is evidently coming to the front. The method of working the bed of the river has not as yet been decided upon. There is no room for doubting that the bed of the South Fork is rich in gold. The company expect to expend two hundred thousand dollars in putting in the dam and getting the water under complete control.

The Island mountain quartz claims are being looked after and work shows them to be of great value.

In regard to the Big Valley creek, of which work Mr. Wm. Adams is in charge, Major Dupont said: "I am in receipt of samples of the gold taken out of the tunnel now being driven by Mr. Adams. Each set shows an increase in the amount of gold carried and the outlook is very promising. We expect where we find the bedrock to find good pay, and have without doubt a very valuable property.

To Major Dupont much credit is due for inducing so many English capitalists to become better acquainted with this section. Undoubtedly from the results of the visit of those in company with Major Dupont other propositions will be taken up and money procured to place them on a successful basis.

The Colonel Fishback party, consisting of eight persons, came down Monday and are more than pleased with the results of their investigation of the placer mines owned by the company. Large and expensive hydraulic plants will be put in on the Maud mine and also on the Fishback. The 20 miles of dredging ground on the Quesnelle river will not be commenced until after work is advanced on the hydraulic claims. The company is incorporated for $5,000,000.

Thomas Roblin, who has been working for nearly a year on a drift on Lovett creek, a tributary of Lightning creek, and partners have the drift in nearly 400 feet, and the indications are good that when bedrock is reached pay will be found as it has in all of the creeks in the immediate vicinity.

W. McIntosh, of Buckingham, Quebec, went up on Friday to commence work on the Burns mountain quartz properties, owned by himself and associates. There is no question of the richness of the quartz of that section. The extent is not yet thoroughly shown, but it is fair to presume that large bodies of ore will be shown by proper work.

With the exception of a few claims hydraulic mining near Barkerville is at a standstill for want of water. Some of the claims have not been able to clean up. There are, however, very few men in town who are unemployed, all seeming to find work with the Cariboo Gold Fields Company, who now employ over 50 men.

R. J. Brigham, for the past two seasons superintendent of the Victoria mine at Quesnelle Forks, says the mine is beyond any doubt valuable. Work on a large scale will be inaugurated next spring. Mr. Brigham says that the hydraulic mines of Cariboo are very rich and extensive and will compare favorably with California's best. Mr. Brigham speaks very highly of the lately acquired properties of the British Northwest Mining Company and other properties down the Quesnelle. He also speaks well in a general way of the Horsefly country.

Mr. John Sawyea, an old prospector and miner, who has been doing work this season on Pine creek with half a dozen associates, came down with the company's pack train this week, and will soon go down the Thompson across the mountains to Hope, where they will winter their animals. The work done this season was to sink about 90 feet in rock on Pine creek, intending to get down 20 feet deeper then drift out for the old channel, but circumstances have compelled the suspension of work until next season, when the company intend to resume work. Pine creek was one of the rich creeks worked in early days on the surface. What the bedrock carries is only judged by the surroundings, but the chances seem good for finding rich pay. Mr. Sawyea does not intend coming back himself to Cariboo, but will leave the work on Pine creek to his company to look after, he intending to go on a little trip to the Arctic slope. His intention is to go to Fort Wrangle, up the Stikeen to the second fork, cut a pack trail from there 160 miles, thereby shortening the route 240 miles, and get across on to the headwaters of the Saskatchewan. Mr. Sawyea came down by Goose creek, and reports Mr. Helgerson and party as likely to make a good showing yet this season, although he has been greatly delayed by high water. A Chinese company are also at work and apparently making money on Goose creek.

On the Bonaparte river about sixteen miles north of Ashcroft, four hundred acres of ground has been located for mining purposes by the English syndicate referred to some weeks ago as doing some prospecting in that section. The mountains are covered with red, blue and yellow material, composed of decomposed porphyry, diorite and slate, the peculiar coloring being caused by the oxidization of the iron contained in the rock surface; by examination and prospecting, fissures were found that carried quartz bearing silver. Sinking on these ledges goes to bear out so far Mr. Mitchell's theory that the ledges would increase in silver with depth; assays at first ran only a few ounces, but after sinking about thirty feet ore running sixty ounces in silver has been found, and a few days ago some quartz rich in galena and carrying as high as 200 ounces of silver per ton was encountered.

Work on the mines in the vicinity of Lillooet is progressing and the showing is very satisfactory. The company having the Ample under bond have a force of 25 men at work, and have a good body of ore in sight. Several hundred tons of ore on the dump looks well, and is said to give good returns in gold. On the Golden Eagle the last reports are that in the end of the 30-foot drift a solid body of ore, showing gold freely, is in sight.

Two men who went up with the Colonel Wright party to Omineca came down last week. They give a good report of that section as a mining country, and report that the party are all well and have gotten along well with their work.

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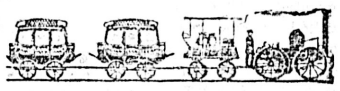

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POPULISM IN 1786.

Populism is not altogether new in the United States. In the present movement to debase the currency and to invent a new way to pay old debts history in that country is repeating itself. Between the years 1783 and 1787 the young republic was convulsed with an agitation that threatened to destroy it utterly. The people in many of the States believed it was in the power of government to create money—to make it out of nothing—and in this way help both the State and the individual citizen to get clear of their monetary obligations. Mr. Chauncey Ford, in a history of that critical time, says:

The belief was urged that the Legislature could create wealth by calling strips of paper, money. The experiences which the States had just passed through in the Revolution should have warned them against embarking on so dangerous a course. Yet a fever for paper money was engendered in every State and in all but a few New England States did it rage so powerfully as to carry all before it and again involve the credit of the States in the distrust from which it was just emerging. The scarcity of specie, the presence of debt, and the burden of taxation offered ready excuses for resorting to bills of credit.

It was found that this paper money without anything substantial at the back of it was not regarded by the people as worth much, and as time progressed it became of less and less value Other devices were resorted to to enable debtors to get rid of their obligations easily. "When paper was not issued," we are told, "land or commodities was made a legal tender. Such a law in South Carolina became known as the 'barren law,' because debtors would tender to their creditors the poorest and most worthless land of their holdings."

The circulation of the worthless paper money was enjoined by law.

"A creditor had no alternative; he must take the paper, no matter what its value might be, or forfeit his claim. Severe penalties were levelled against such persons as should not receive it at its face value, or express their preference for silver. Business transactions were at a standstill, for the confidence of man in man was destroyed. Prices of all articles rose rapidly to meet the increasing depreciation of these bills."

This is exactly what might have been expected. No one was such a fool in those days as to say that the high prices thus made were a good thing for the country, as thousands are idiotic enough to say now about the high prices that would be created by the debasement of the currency from gold to silver of little more than half its value.

The Legislatures of several of the States were compelled by the Populists of those days to enact anti-creditor laws. Tender laws as we have seen were enacted. The outraged creditors called them tough laws. "Stay and relief laws," intended to delay or prevent the collection of just debts were passed in different States. A "stay law" in Maryland postponed the collection of debts for two years, and a similar act was passed in Georgia. In North Carolina suits were suspended for twelve months, leading a prominent lawyer to assert that the laws of the State seemed to be very favorable to knavish debtors.

There was, of course, a strong opposition to all these measures, for there were honest and clear-headed men in all the States who saw the tendency of these dishonest devices, but they were for a long time overborne by the shortsighted mob in alliance with dishonest debtors. Men who opposed the repudiation laws and the rag-money issues were denounced as enemies of the public welfare, and were persecuted in various ways. The Governor of New Jersey, when he refused to sanction a bill for the issue of paper money, was dragged through the streets in effigy, and the angry populace could not be appeased until an extra session of the Legislature had been convened to pass a law similar to the one that the Governor had rejected.

While the Populists of the day were carrying on this pernicious agitation and forcing the State legislators to pass dishonest and stupid laws, Nature was dealing most kindly with the young Republic. All that it required to free itself from its temporary embarrassments was to be governed according to the principles of honesty and common sense. Franklin, writing of its condition, said:

"And I do not remember ever to have seen during my long life more signs of public felicity than appears at present throughout the United States; the cultivators of the earth who make the bulk of our nation have made good crops which are paid for at high prices with ready money; its artisans, too, receive high wages and the value of all estates is augmented greatly. Merchants and shopkeepers, indeed, complain that there is not business enough, but this is evidently owing to the fewness of buyers, not to the too great number of sellers; for the consumption of goods was never greater, as appears by the dress, furniture and manner of living of all ranks of people."

"Had the currency of the times," adds the historian, "been honest, this picture would have meant prosperity." What benjamin Franklin said of his country in his day applies with equal, or even greater, force to the United States of our own time. It is a greatly favored country, and is free from any of what are considered the scourges of nations—war, pestilence and famine. It is a land of peace and plenty, yet unprincipled agitators are doing what they can to bring upon it distress and suffering. The Populists of the eighteenth century failed to carry out their mad projects. The good sense and the honesty of the silent majority were strong enough to defeat them and to undo the mischief they had done. It is somewhat singular that the names of the leaders of the Populists of those days are forgotten, while the memory of the men who opposed them is held in honor.

LI HUNG CHANG.

We are glad to find that His Excellency Li Hung Chang has been treated with the respect and attention due to a man of his high station who is a guest of the people of this Dominion. And he is personally and officially worthy of their respect. He is a man of uncommon ability who has devoted himself to the service of his country. He has by dint of pure merit and force of character raised himself step by step to the highest position under the Sovereign in the kingdom of China. He has encountered many difficulties and he has surmounted them all, and he has made many enemies and has got the better of them all. His methods have not been those of a British statesman, it is true; but we have not heard that they have, taking for their measure the Chinese standard of excellence, been at all objectionable. It is evident that the Chinese regard Li Hung Chang as a good man as well as a great statesman, and it is by the estimate of the best of his own countrymen that he should be judged.

It is impossible to form a reasonable conjecture as to what will be the effect of Li Hung Chang's visit to Europe and America as regards the relations of China with foreign countries or the internal improvement of the Empire. He is very far indeed from being absolute master of China. He has many and powerful opponents who are no doubt watching their chance to thwart his designs, and there are influences in the country which are opposed to change of any kind. It is quite possible that these influences and these enemies will be too many and too strong for Li Hung Chang. They may defeat his projects and prevent his carrying out a more liberal policy than China has hitherto followed. Besides, it is impossible to say what his projects and his policy really are. He is not a communicative man as regards his own intentions and schemes, and what he says must not always be taken as indicating what he thinks. It is generally supposed that the Chinese statesman is liberal in his views and that if he had his own way he would improve and liberalize the policy of the Government of his country, both domestic and foreign—and it is more than likely that the supposition is true or very near the truth, but it may be some time before the peoples of the West hear that his policy has been put in practice by the powers that be in China.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

Ingenious interviewers have attempted in vain to get from the Hon. Mr. Chamberlain his opinion on some of the burning questions that agitate the minds of people in the United States and Canada. He told them at first that his visit to America was not a public one; that, indeed, he came to escape for a time the cares of office, and to divert his mind from the consideration of public affairs and that he had nothing to say that would interest the public. He has been firm in his refusal to talk politics, either English, Canadian or American. He has not, like our effusive Canadian Premier, taken the American interviewer into his confidence and given him information which he withheld from his fellow-countrymen. The American newspapers have, we see, respected Mr. Chamberlain's wishes. They have not pestered him for interviews, nor have they, as some of them have been known to do, given the public imaginary conversations and made Mr. Chamberlain one of the interlocutors. When the Secretary of State for the Colonies was in the Opposition he was most communicative and was consequently much in favor with the reporters, but since he has borne the responsibilities of office he has cultivated a wise and judicious reticence which is most becoming in a Minister of State. The Canadian people will know in good time what Mr. Chamberlain thinks of many subjects in which they are more or less deeply interested. He is not the man to be silent when he sees it his duty to speak—and to speak with the utmost plainness.

NEARING THE END.

The indications are that the cup of the Sultan's iniquity is full, and that the day of his downfall is at hand. He has outraged the feelings of the Christian world too long. The people have borne as long as they could the inaction of Governments. They consider, and rightly, too, that greater forbearance really means complicity in the evil deeds of the Turkish Government. The British Government has at last spoken out plainly, and has told the Sultan that an end must be put to government by massacre. Lord Salisbury apparently has not waited to make sure of the co-operation of the other great Powers before he took action. He had deferred to them too long. He had allowed considerations of policy to stand in the way of his obeying the dictates of humanity so long that the Sultan considered that he might treat the Armenians and other Christians in his dominions as cruelly as he pleased without fear of the interference of Christian nations. But he has now found that there is a limit to the forbearance of Christian peoples and that if he desires to retain his seat on the Turkish throne he must treat his Christian subjects with justice and humanity.

It is not known as yet how the change is to be brought about, but it seems to be certain that the Sultan will be obliged to make it speedily or, if he hesitates or refuses, it will be effected without him or in spite of his opposition.

HOW NOT TO DO IT.

Our City Council are about to carry out as stupid a piece of work as could well be imagined. They have had complaints that Government House and a number of large houses between it and Fort street have been carrying their closet drains on to Belcher street, whence the sewage is conveyed for some distance to Charles street, where it is discharged on to the open street. To cure this, and as the city is poor, the Provincial Government, who are responsible for Government House, have agreed to pay $1,000, the city to pay $1,000 and the private property owners, $1,000, to have a drain constructed to the sea. It will hardly be credited that it is proposed to carry this sewage to Ross bay, where it will lodge forever, instead of joining the accepted system, already working without a fault. By taking the drain by Richardson street to Cook street the council would have a proper sanitary drain, falling into the sea at a proper place for sewage matter to be deposited. That drain would be part and parcel of the general sewage system of the city, and would, if properly laid, work forever without a hitch and without danger to the health of the citizens, instead of being taken to a bay where it will be a constant source of danger. The thing is so clear that it is surprising it has to be pointed out.

SNEAKING OUT OF IT.

The Province repeats Mr. McInnes, M.P.'s question "Whether the Government are aware that Hon. Mr. Davie, Chief Justice of British Columbia, was engaged in canvassing during the late elections; if so, is it the intention of the Government to inquire into the matter?" and then adds: "Mr. Laurier replied, the Government was not aware; the facts had not been brought to its attention. So the matter dropped, leaving no reflection on the Chief Justice." And thus does the admiring organ seek to extricate Mr. McInnes from a malignant calumny which he had no more ability to prove than the manliness to retract.

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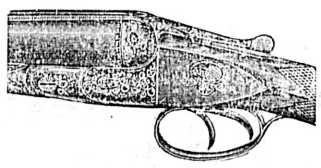

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ARCADE NEWS.

Millinery Opening Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

THE CITY

THE band of the Fifth Regiment entertained a large audience at Oak Bay beach Sunday afternoon.

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YESTERDAY was the anniversary of Peerless lodge, I.O.O.F., and to celebrate the successful organization of the lodge two years ago an entertainment is to be given on Friday evening by the members.

DR. BOLTON, who has had charge of the medical hospital in connection with the missions in the North, addressed a public mass meeting last evening in the Centennial church.

THE case of J. C. Johnston, charged with stealing the well known trotting horse Snohomish Boy, was before Magistrate Macrae in the city police court all yesterday. It again holds the fort today.

JOHN SMITH, who is registered at the Oriental, arrived by the Topeka from the North last night. For the last three years he has been mining in the Yukon country and has now come down from Circle City to spend the winter in the mild climate of the Coast. The miners, he reports, have done very well this season and a good number of them will winter in the Yukon, but there is somewhat of a scarcity of supplies and provisions are likely to be short this winter owing to the difficulty of getting them up the river. The gold output is estimated at about $400,000 this year.

THE friends and members of the Y.M. C A. filled the Metropolitan Methodist church on Sunday afternoon last, when addresses were delivered by Mr. Dummett, travelling secretary of the Y.M.C. A., and others. A male choir supplied the music, and solos were rendered by Mr. J. G. Brown and Mrs. Rowlands. To-morrow evening the annual meeting of the Y.M.C.A. will be held in the rooms. The various departments will give reports of their work, an interesting programme of music has been prepared, and, moreover, the ladies will serve coffee and cake.

ON the 9th instant Mr. J. B. Giffin, manager in Victoria for R. G. Dun & Co., and Miss Laura F. Agnew were married in Moscow, Idaho. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Hodgins. The wedding was a quiet only, only a few of the intimate friends of the bride being present. Mrs. Giffin is well known in Victoria, where she formerly lived and was well known in musical circles. It will be remembered that she was given a leading part in the production of Il Trovatore by the amateurs. Mr. and Mrs. Giffin arrived home on Sunday evening.

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A STORE where the wants of the most fastidious are promptly supplied in the lines of rubber and woollen goods is now being opened at 51 Yates street, under the management of R. & H. A. Croft, and promises to excel in the matter of choice and variety of goods and prices. The very latest styles in American and English patterns, made either locally or abroad, will be provided at figures tallying closely with those of the English market. There will also be a novelty in the business which will be greatly appreciated by ladies. They may select from an endless variety of goods, and when they happen on something exactly suiting their tastes and leave their order they have the satisfaction of knowing that the same order cannot be duplicated in the store.

THERE is a good deal of interest taken in the quartz discoveries a few miles south of Kamloops. The character of the ore is copper and copper and gold. On one claim a shaft is down twenty feet, with a good showing, while work is also being prosecuted on other claims.

MISS ROSE COGHLAN, the famous actress, whose successful career in the legitimate drama has been an important chapter of the stage history of the past ten years, is paying a short visit to friends in Victoria, having arrived from San Francisco by the direct steamer Sunday evening.

THE Local Council of Women met yesterday afternoon in the city hall to dispose of the regular monthly business. Three societies have been received into affiliation during the past month. Arrangements are being made for the second annual meeting, the date for which will soon be announced, and affiliated societies will be asked to prepare their resolutions and forward them promptly to Mrs. Scaife, the corresponding secretary. Much interest is manifested in the reading circles shortly to be organized by the council.

MR. A. J. MCIVOR-TYNDALL, the London mystic, succeeded in admirably entertaining a half house at The Victoria yesterday evening, limiting his tests for the evening to examples of highly developed mind-reading, and reserving the hypnotic features of his entertainment for a second performance to-night. The unique and remarkable phase of his mind-reading (or nerve-reading, as others have described it) is the exceeding rapidity with which he receives and acts upon impressions when his subject thoroughly carries out instructions as to thought concentration. Mr. Tyndall also goes considerably further than other similar entertainers who have appeared before Victoria audiences, giving mental pictures of those identified with the tests, after completing them satisfactorily—describing, while blindfolded and seeing only through the medium, whose hand he holds, the costume and appearance in detail of the "victim" of the test. He also combines tests in a remarkably clever manner, and on the whole his entertainment is well worthy of the attention of scientists as well as of the general public. To-night Mr. McIvor-Tyndall will give new feats of mind reading and some remarkable tests of hypnotism and mesmerism. He will, he says, make his subjects laugh, cry, sing, sneeze, swim, or do anything else he wills them to. He will also give the test which resulted in the death of the celebrated mind reader, Washington Irving Bishop. Another public test of a different character from that of yesterday will be given in the afternoon, and everybody is invited to be outside the Bank of British Columbia at 3 o'clock.

Major Mutter, M.P.P., Somenos, is registered at the New England.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Two Schemes for a New Division of the Wards Submitted by the City Assessor.

The Matter Tabled for Consideration —Requests for Drainage—Fifth Regiment's Picnic.

The council had their usual weekly meeting last evening, Mayor Beaven presiding and all present except Ald. Partridge.

An invitation from the city council of Quebec, for the city council of Victoria to meet with them at the inauguration of their new city hall on September 15, was ordered to be acknowledged with thanks.

Major F. B. Gregory wrote requesting the patronage of the Mayor and council for the basket picnic to be held by the Fifth Regiment C.A. on Saturday next, in aid of the band instrument funds. It was resolved to extend the patronage desired.

Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken having again written asking the intentions of the council with respect to draining the McTavish property, Ald. Wilson moved that they be informed that the matter is in the hands of the cith engineer to make an estimate for the information of the council.

Messrs. Moore and Whittington again wrote asking the extension of the box drain on Pandora avenue between Cook and Vancouver. Pemberton & son also wrote complaining of the condition of the drainage for 173 Pandora avenue—said by the aldermen to be the same property. Ald. Humphrey said there was so much rock there that he did not see how the people could expect a drain, at a cost of thousands of dollars. Ald. Marchant suggested draining through private property to Johnson street, which he thought would be feasible. The matter was referred to the street committee and city engineer to report.

J. Stuart Yates complained of the charge made against him for water, giving figures to show that according to the meter he had used $8.75 worth of water, but the charge had been $19.62—the "minimum charge" regulation and the meter rent accounting for the difference. Referred to the water commissioner.

RE-DIVISION OF WARDS.

The following report was read and on motion of Ald. Marchant tabled for future consideration:

VICTORIA, September 12, 1896.

GENTLEMEN:—In obedience to your communication of the 10th instant, re revision of the city ward boundaries, I would respectfully report as follows:

First, as to division into three wards with a view to equalizing as near as may be proportions of each ward with regard to assessment, acreage and population, I have for reference retained the names of the wards as at present.

South Ward—Commencing from the water front along the northern line of block 70 Fort property and running through to Wharf street, thence easterly along Bastion street to Government street; thence southerly along Government to Fort street; along Fort street easterly to Cook street; thence southerly along Cook to Belcher street; along Belcher easterly till it strikes the southern boundary of section 74; thence easterly along the southern line of section 74 to the city limits; thence southerly, westerly and northerly to the point of commencement.

Central Ward—Will commence at the junction of Fort and Government street and follow along the northern boundary of the proposed South ward to the city limits; thence northerly along the city boundary to the northeast corner of section 76; thence along the northern line of section 76 to Mount Tolmie road; thence northerly along Mount Tolmie road to the northerly boundary of section 25; thence westerly along section 25; thence northerly and westerly along sections 8A and sections 29-30 to section 4; thence southerly along the line of section 4 to Edmonton road; thence westerly along Edmonton road to Chambers street; thence southerly along Chambers street to Pandora street; thence westerly along Pandora street to Government street, and thence southerly along Government street to the point of commencement.

North Ward—Will comprise the remaining portion of the city not mentioned in the foregoing.

I submit herewith map colored showing the various divisions.

Following is statement of approximate land assessment, voters and area:

	Land Assessment.	Voters.	Acreage.
South Ward....	$ 3,579,920	1,350	1,700
Central Ward...	3,713,120	1,450	1,450
North Ward	3,698,300	1,471	1,462
Total.....	$10,901,340	4,271	4,612

Secondly, re-division into four wards —I have numbered these for reference 1, 2, 3 and 4:

No. 1 Ward—Commences at and follows the northern boundary of the present South ward easterly, northerly and again easterly as far as Cook street; thence southerly along Cook street to Fairfield road; thence easterly along Fairfield road to Lovers' lane; thence southerly along Lovers' lane to the Strait of Fuca, and thence along the water front to point of commencement.

No. 2 Ward commences at the junction of Fort and Langley streets, then follows the northern and eastern boundary of No. 1 Ward to the Strait of Fuca; thence along the shore line to the eastern boundary of the city; thence along the city boundary northerly and easterly as far as Mount Tolmie road; thence southerly along Mount Tolmie road to Cadboro Bay road; thence southwesterly along Cadboro Bay road as far as section 74; thence westerly along the northern line of section 74, North Pandora street and Pandora avenue to Douglas street; thence along Douglas to Yates street; thence along Yates to Government street; thence southerly along Government to Langley street, and thence along Langley street to the point of commencement.

No. 3 Ward would commence at the junction of Government and Yates streets; thence following the northerly boundary of Ward 2; thence northerly along Mount Tolmie road to the northern line of section 25; thence following the city boundary westerly and northerly as far as section 4; thence southerly along the eastern line of section 4 to Hillside avenue; thence westerly along Hillside avenue and across Douglas street to Government street, and thence along Government street to the point of commencement.

No. 4 Ward comprises all the land not included in No. 1, 2 and 3.

Following is a statement of approximate land assessment, voters and area:

	Land Assessment.	Voters.	Acreage.
No. 1 Ward.....	$ 2,760,370	1,090	1,170
No. 2 Ward.....	2,741,630	1,075	1,090
No. 3 Ward.....	2,664,545	1,050	1,212
No. 4 Ward.....	2,734,795	1,056	1,140
Total.....	$10,901,340	4,271	4,612

I submit also map colored to show the various divisions.

In arranging the foregoing divisions I have followed the streets and section lines for boundaries as far as possible and have also endeavored to give each ward a fair proportion of business and rural property.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Assessor.

Several reports from committees, upon matters referred to them, were read and adopted without discussion; and all business having been disposed of the council adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

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PERSONAL.

Lilian Field, the Vancouver palmist, is at the Wilson.

Mrs. P. A. Paulson came over from Tacoma by the City of Kingston Sunday.

A. E. E. Johnson, of Forty Mile, on the Yukon, is a guest at the Hotel Wilson.

C. D. Porter and Geo. Ridout, Spokane, are among the arrivals at the Driard.

G. A. Chandler arrived over from the Sound by the City of Kingston Sunday afternoon.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Lemmens arrived home yesterday morning from a visit to Puget Sound.

J. B. Leighton and Miss Leighton were passengers from California by the Umatilla last Sunday.

John Cunningham, who came down from Metlakahtla by the Danube, is at the Oriental. Mrs. Cunningham accompanies him.

Ernest H. Roome, Vancouver; James Clark and Luke McGrath, Tacoma; and G. V. Hamilton, Portland, Oregon, are staying at the Wilson.

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(William Elliot Griffis in Harper's Weekly.)

Li Hung Chang is China's Grand Old Man. Nearly three-quarters of a century old, he has been over half a century in the service of his country. He incarnates the modern ideas of progress in the Middle Kingdom. His career is one long story of courage, consistency and victory. He is the best hated man in China. With more enemies than he can count, he survives them all. The number of those abroad who admire him is great. The minority of those at home who fear and honor him tends slowly to become a majority.

Mr. Plum, Sublime Lesson, as we should say in English, was born in 1822, in an obscure town, from parents who seemed in no way remarkable, though we suspect that the mother of the most famous of the five sons of Li senior must have been a woman of unusual force of character. At any rate, Li Hung Chang came into the world with a superb physical organization, and with a brain power which, joined to a strong will, enabled him to master that amazing system of ideographs which is the Chinese instrument for visibly expressing thought. Calligraphy, or fine penmanship in the Occident is not reckoned as high a virtue as it ought to be; but in the Chinese world, where the "face" of a thing is looked upon more than its life, elegant writing is the passport to honor and a badge of culture. Yet, besides his penmanship, for which he is still famous, Li is a strong and graceful stylist as the innumerable documents from his pen in the Peking Gazette show, and not a few elegant verses from his pen are known in China. In one of them he compares friend Tseng to the diamond which carves and polishes into splendor the rough pebbles of the road, turning them into gems.

According to the standard of the Chinese proverb, Li has attained the three supreme prizes which lie on the top of mountains Difficulty and Rarity. They are longevity, sons and wealth. Furthermore, both he and his brother have been viceroys. Virtually, if not actually, he has occupied the highest posts of honor and influence in China. He has been a man of letters, soldier, statesman, diplomatist, and amba-sador. He is a man of signal qualities, but also of decided limitations. He has suffered failure, defeat, and humiliation again and again, but he seems to have a genius for neutralizing the evil effects of his mistakes, and of wresting the flower of success from the brambles of danger.

We have said that Li has pronounced limitations. Having won his first successes as a soldier, he is too apt, both in the eyes of his Chinese critics and of his Western level-headed admirers, to overestimate the value of forts and armies. This is no wonder for it was the object-lesson given him by American arms, tactics and military genius which first opened his eyes to the power of modern and Western methods. Fortunately Li was young when he saw how the American Frederick Townsend Ward (born at Salem, Massachusetts, in November, 1831) took common Chinamen and turned them into nearly invincible heroes. English writers call Ward an "adventurer," and ascribe to Gordon the virtue of having converted Li and saved the Chinese Empire from the T'ai-p'ing rebellion. Yet the fact that Gordon simply carried out the plans initiated by Ward, who was a natural soldier, that the Chinese themselves have reared memorials to the American, and that Li Hung Chang was at once Ward's patron, friend and pupil, justify the honor given to General Ward by critical students of modern Chinese history.

Li Hung Chang, instead of being satisfied with the gratitude of his imperial master, and then settling down to Chinese official routine, immediately began the steady and persistent policy of arming China for defence against the great northern danger, Russia. For, first and last, Li is a patriot. He realizes his country's danger. He knows that unless China shall awake from her sluggish conservatism, her semi-paralysis wrought by contemptuous indifference, and her pride which goes before destruction, she must become a political corpse. Instead of sublime unity, there will be Russian, British, French and German "protectorates," while China as an entity will disappear. For over a score of years he has given his time and thought to fortifying the coast, to providing a national army and navy, to building railroads, to developing the resources of the empire, and, by facing modern problems, to secure the empire intact. In a word, what William of Orange, what George Washington, what Abraham Lincoln, desired to do, each in his turn, has been and is Li Hung Chang's burning desire. China has no political unity, in the sense of the term understood in the West. It may be likened to a colossal jelly-fish rather than to a vertebrated creature with brain and nerves. Li wished to make the nation a unity in which every portion should quickly respond. Out of many parts he would make one whole—a pluribus unum. Instead of jealous and almost hostile provinces, he would have a union able to resist all internal insurrections and all foreign enemies.

A full account of his efforts would make a fascinating story of brilliant successes and of painful failures. With eccentric and super-Chinese perception he saw that foreign aid in brains, skill, capital and raw and manufactured material were essential. The money must be forthcoming. Most difficult of all was the task of overcoming the bigoted conceit of native conservatism, which teaches dogmatically that modern and Western progress are but sham, and retrogression from ancient and therefore perfect ideals. Cautiously feeling his way, he first engaged foreign instructors, and in his own province, and virtually as a private enterprise, organized and drilled an army, built forts, arsenals and lighthouses, and bought and equipped a fleet. In reality, when the Chino-Japanese war of 1894 broke out, there was but one province in China with an army and navy. The war was virtually carried on between Japan and two Chinese provinces.

In China the graveyard is a true sceptre, and ghosts have more power than the living. The majority rules, but it is the majority of sceptres. One of the first necessities of China, if her life was to be preserved against enemies, was a railway; but the ghosts were all against it. Even the shadow of a telegraph wire to say nothing of sleepers and rails, laid over cemeteries, or even near them, would call down a deluge of disasters from the invisible world in which Feng Shuey reigns. Nevertheless, so influential had Li become, that in 1889 he was made happy by the receipt of an imperial edict granting permission to build a railway from Hankow to Peking, and up to Mukden, and even to Kirin. Thus Chinese armies could be moved for the defence of the capital, to the frontier, in a few days. Thereupon foreigners who did not understand the government at Peking trumpeted all over the world "the regeneration of China." The banners of financial hope bent on their staves in breezes of delight above every money market in Europe. Hopeful agents set their faces toward Tien-tsin, expecting to return home with portmanteaus full of orders. Prominent financiers even thought they had received real "concessions."

These premature flowers of hope, that had budded in momentary sunshine even at the very rim of the Chinese glacier, were soon black and dead with frost. Why? Simply because the enemies of Li and the partners of the graveyard spectres had memorialized the throne, protesting against the employment of foreign skill and material, and asking that the work be done by Chinese skill and labor and with Chinese material. Of course these mandarins, so cunning and eloquent, did not mean to oppose having railroads; oh, no! But when the iron and the coal in China are hundreds of miles apart, and the only means of transportation are human shoulders, baskets and wheel-barrows, with not a single plant for the making of a steel rail, they knew that their method of gently smothering the whole scheme would suffice. And it did. The Emperor agreed with them. Li could only acquiesce, and walk as mourner at the funeral of his ambition. Generously he nominated his polite enemy to be superintendent of railways; but at the rate at which the so-called "work" progressed, it was evident that the Russians would have *their* road finished to the sea, perhaps to Kirin or Mukden, and possibly to Seoul and Peking, before the Chinese road carried a single army corps. Indeed it seemed, about 1893, as if progress along foreign lines of ideas was paralyzed, and money for improvements would be no more forthcoming.

Then, as we believe, Li, pressed nearly to the wall, ventured upon a desperate game to get money and push forward the building of forts and railways and the making and enlarging of an army and navy. He would wholesomely alarm the authorities at Peking, and tap the treasury that money might flow for defence. He would bring on a war with Japan. With his big fleet and German-drilled army he planned to win easy victory, fasten the grip of China on Korea, and give Russia a wholesome warning. Hence his deliberate provocation of the Japanese by inciting Yuan, his envoy and agent in Korea, his overawing of the Korean King, and finally his violation of the Li-Ito treaty of 1885 by sending Chinese troops into the peninsula kingdom, thereby forcing the war hand and drawing the fire of the Japanese. In all this he acted with a noble motive, for Li is, first of all, a patriot. His aim was to exalt the prestige of his country, and carry out his plans for her benefit.

Yet Li is a man of pronounced limitations. With all his noble purposes, he believes in the Chinese system of spoils, and of getting and enjoying the wealth which comes from public service and public spiritedness. Furthermore, notwithstanding his super-Chinese ability to see the excellence of foreign technics, he is still unregenerate. In his eyes all moral excellence is with the Chinese ancients—the mythical founders of Chinese law and order. He is utterly unconverted to any morals except those taught by Confucius. All foreigners, even the best of his servants, helpers, advisers and friends, are unworthy of the kind of respect which should be given to a son of Han. The least in the Chinese kingdom of heaven is greater than the mightiest born of woman in Christendom.

As for a Japanese, he could be nothing more than a wayward pupil of China or a mere imitator of the Westerners. With all his ability of discernment, Li Hung Chang could not perceive the finer strength that inheres in the Japanese character. Hence his genuine surprise at the ability of the Mikado's sailors and soldiers. Having no real idea of Japan's power, unable to give his near neighbor even the respect that he yielded to foreigners, he miscalculated their powers. Unintentionally, and with a good motive, he brought disaster upon his country. Japan was too close to his own eyelids. "It is dark at the base of the lamp-post."

"Now sinking, now floating, in the trough and on the wave—such is life." Li's history illustrates this Oriental proverb. Degraded by his master, hated by his enemies, made scapegoat for the sins of the Peking government, he yet rose again de profundis to honors in jackets and buttons, in Imperial favor, in office and command. Both countries looked to him as the one man for the crisis. He only could represent the Son of Heaven for treaty-making in the land of the victor. To him only the Mikado and his ministers cast their eyes as the one Chinaman who could collect and pay over an indemnity when promised. Even the bullet of the assassin worked to his honor and glory. Because he lost a few drops of blood, he gained vast advantage in the treaty. Further, he knew only too well that what he handed out so liberally, flattering the vanity of the Japanese, the triple alliance of Muscovite, Teuton and Gaul would take back, meanwhile saving the honor of China. From the first, when the Russian bear had discovered the two Orientals at fight, he saw his way clear to a fat meal.

So Li returned to China to hear with one ear the storm of anger, derision and obloquy which his enemies raised up, charging him with being a traitor and betrayin ghis country, while with his other ear he listened to the thanks of the Emperor and of the better statesmen and people of his country. Thoroughly appropriate has been the crowning honor of his life, that he should be chosen to represent the ruler of one-fourth of the inhabitants of this planet at the coronation of the Czar, and in bearing congratulations around the world.

With all his limitations, Li Hung Chang is the greatest Chinaman since the days of Kublai Khan. Let us welcome and honor him. Where he has sown, others will reap. May the regeneration of China be accomplished without the shattering of the vessel.

WILLIAM ELLIOT GRIFFIS.

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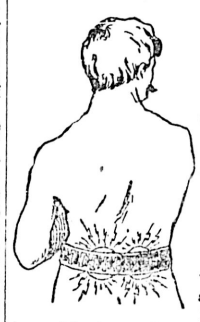

If one of your family was suddenly taken sick, would you send around to all the doctors in your neighborhood and call in the one who who would offer a cure for the least money?

A cheap lawyer is likely to be a "shyster" and a cheap doctor a "quack," and so a cheap Electric Belt is likely to be a delusion and a snare. Don't buy a thing because it is cheap, and especially not when that thing is for the good of your health.

If you buy an Electric Belt it is certainly to your best interest to buy the one which has built up a reputation by its CURES. After all, a cure is what you want, whatever the cost, and the remedy that has cured others is most likely to cure you; and, even if it does cost a little more than those whose reputation is built on bluster, it is cheaper in the end, BECAUSE IT CURES.

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THE COLONIST, VICTORIA.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that A. B. Bule, of Lytton, has no longer any authority to sign my name or transact any business for me.

A. STEVENSON.

Lytton, July 11th, 1896. y15-2m

TENDERS.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

(INCORPORATED 1890.)

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES.

Sealed tenders will be received for supplying the above institution from 1st October, 1896, to 31st July, 1897, for the following articles, to be delivered free: Meat, Vegetables, Groceries, Bread, Milk, Drugs, Wood and Scavenger Work.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned on or before noon of September 20th, 1896.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

Forms of tender can be obtained on application to

H. M. YATES, Secretary,
se10 47 Langley Street.

Notice to Contractors.

The undersigned will receive tenders up to 4 p.m., Wednesday, 16th inst., for building a retaining wall at Outer Wharf.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE,
sell-td Architect.

In the Matter of Utrick Evans Dickinson, Deceased Intestate.

Notice is hereby given that the Honourable Theodore Davie, Chief Justice, has this day appointed Mr Alfred James Joule, of No. 45 Montreal street, in the City of Victoria, Administrator of the estate of Utrick Evans Dickinson, deceased, late of Notch Hill Ranch, Nanoose Bay, in the County of Nanaimo.

All persons indebted to the deceased or his estate, or who have any of his effects, are required to forthwith make payment to or deliver the same as the case may be, to the Administrator.

And all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the deceased are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of November, 1896, after which day the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he then shall have had notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any parts thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, or demands he shall not then have had notice.

Notch Hill Ranch For Sale.

Tenders addressed to Mr A. J. Joule, attorney-in-fact for Mr Joseph Dickinson, heir at law of Utrick Evans Dickinson, deceased, will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th of October, 1896, for the purchase of the Notch Hill Ranch, containing 2,228 acres, more or less, situated on the promontory at Nanoose Bay, and known on the official map of Nanoose District as Lot 7, (102 acres, crown grant dated 12th October, 1885); Lot 8, (158 acres, crown grant, dated 13th November, 1889); Lots 11, 30, and 78, (1,968 acres, E. & N. Railway grants.)

On the ranch there is a furnished dwelling house, commanding a beautiful view of the surrounding country; two orchards with several varieties of fruit trees; also good barns, stables, and other buildings.

Excellent shooting can be had on the ranch and there is good fishing in Nanoose Bay; on the property there is also a lake. It was the opinion of the late Mr. Dickinson, who was a mining engineer, that a part of the above mentioned real property is within the well known coal measures of Nanaimo County.

The ranch can be purchased with or without the stock, produce, etc., thereon.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For further particulars apply to Mr. Joule or to the undersigned.

Dated the 3rd day of September, 1896.

S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley Street, Victoria,
se8-1m Solicitor for the Administrator, Etc.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

In the matter of "The Winding Up Act" and Amending Acts, and

In the matter of The Sayward Mill and Timber Company, Limited.

Notice is hereby given that by order of this Honorable Court dated the 24th day of August, 1896, the creditors of the above-named company are required on or before the 26th day of September next to send the particulars of their debts or claims against the above-named company, duly proven by declaration, to Henry C. Macaulay, of the firm of Spratt & Macaulay, Adelphi Block, Victoria, B.C., Liquidator of the said company.

Dated this 25th day of August 1896.

HERBERT E. A. ROBERTSON,
au26-td Solicitor for the said Liquidator.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Dominion Parliament at its next sitting for a private bill to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, maintaining, and operating a railway from a point on the south boundary line of British Columbia, between the 234th and 116th degrees of Longitude, at the head of Lynn Canal, and thence northerly and westerly by the most feasible route to the north boundary line of British Columbia, with power to construct, maintain, and operate branch lines and all necessary bridges, ferries, and wharves, and to construct, own, and operate telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railway and branches, and to build, own, and operate steamships and other vessels, to take and use water for generating electricity and other purposes, and to acquire free home rights and lands for the right of way, station grounds, and other necessities, and to acquire lands and other bonuses or aids from the Government of Canada and British Columbia, or from any municipality, corporation or person, to aid in the construction of the said railway, and to make traffic and other arrangements with other railway companies or persons, and for all other usual and necessary powers and privileges, and also for power to levy a royalty on all precious metals passing onwards over the said road when constructed.

Dated at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, this 19th day of August, 1896.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for Applicants.
Victoria, B. C. au23

NOTICE is hereby given that one month after the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette, application will be made by the Corporation of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, under the provisions of the "Act respecting certain works constructed in Crown navigable waters," Revised Statutes of Canada Chapter 92, to His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, for approval of the plans for two wooden pile bridges, one (now partially constructed) for ordinary vehicular and pedestrian traffic, and the other for tramway traffic only, both to be constructed across the waters of Victoria Arm, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, from Work street, Victoria aforesaid, to the Indian Reservation, and on or near the site of the Point Ellice bridge that collapsed on the 26th May, 1896; the plans of which proposed bridges and a description of the proposed site thereof are deposited with the Minister of Public Works and a duplicate of each are deposited at the office, in Victoria aforesaid, of the Registrar-General of Deeds for the Province of British Columbia.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 4th day of August, 1896.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
au7-tf Clerk to the Municipal Council.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days from date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres, more or less, of the following described land, three miles, more or less, south of the north entrance of the east side of Schooner Passage (on an island), Rivers Inlet: Commencing at a stake planted on the north corner, marked "M.G."; thence running east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west and back to place of commencement.

MARK GOSSE.
Rivers Inlet, August 26th, 1896. se4

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, I shall apply for a transfer to Charles Pagden, of the license held by me, to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at the "Hall," Fort street.

Victoria, B. C., 14th July, 1896.
j23-y0d JOSEPH CARPENTER.

NOTICE—The partnership heretofore existing between James J. Gow, George W. Barber and Walter W. Barber, is dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on in future by George W. Barber and Walter W. Barber, as G. & W. Barber Bros., at 114 Yates street. 12th September, 1896. se13-1t

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TIME TABLE No. 25,

To take effect at 8 a.m on Saturday, March 21 1896. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH.

	Daily	Sat. & Sun.
	A.M.	P.M.
Lv. Victoria for Nanaimo and Wellington	8:00	4:00
Ar. Nanaimo	11:35	7:25
Ar. Wellington	12:00	7:45

GOING SOUTH.

	Daily	Sat. & Sun.
	A.M.	P.M.
Lv. Wellington for Victoria	8:20	4:15
Lv. Nanaimo for Victoria	8:45	4:33
Ar. Victoria	12:20	8:00

For rates and information apply at Company's offices.

A. DUNSMUIR, President. JOSEPH HUNTER, Gen'l Supt.

H. K. PRIOR, General Freight and Passenger Agent.

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Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

The Magnificent Steamers City of Puebla, Walla Walla and Umatilla ply between Victoria, B.C., and San Francisco direct, carrying Her Majesty's Mails.

Leave Victoria, B.C., for San Francisco 8 p.m	Due San Francisco a.m.
Aug. 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30. Sept. 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29.	Aug. 8, 13, 18, 23, 28. Sept. 2, 7, 12, 17, 22, 27. Oct'r 2.
Leave San Francisco for Victoria, B.C., 9 a m	**Due at Victoria, B.C., a.m.**
Aug. 2, 7, 12, 17, 22, 27. Sept. 1, 6, 11, 16, 21, 26,	Aug. 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30. Sept 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29.

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Victoria for Alaska.	Due Back.
Aug. 15, 30. Sept 14, 29.	Aug 27. Sep. 11-26, Oc. 11

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11:45 pm	38	Port Townsend	72		1:30 pm
3:00 am	82	Seattle	28		10:15 am
4:45 am	W	Ar Tacoma	* Lv	M	8:00 am

Steamer City of Kingston makes connection at Tacoma with Northern Pacific trains to and from points East and South.

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TO TACOMA 3.00

Round trip tickets at reduced rates. For tickets and information call on

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C. P. Navigation Co., Ld.

TIME TABLE No. 27.

Takes effect June 21st, 1895.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13:15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.

For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13:15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Company will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver, the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent
Victoria, January 1st.

OCEANIC SS. CO.—Australia, Hawaii, Samoa and New Zealand. Six days only to Honolulu by the SS. Australia.

SS. ALAMEDA sails via Honolulu and Auckland for Sydney, Thursday Sept. 17, at 2 p m.

SS. AUSTRALIA for Honolulu only, Tuesday, Sept. 22, at 10 a.m

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POPULAR FASHIONS.

DRESSY BODICE FRONTS AND STYLISH NECKWEAR.

Some of the Latest Styles In This Class of Articles, Which Change a Dowdy Gown to a Dressy One—Collar Bands and Ruffs

One of the difficult problems in dress just now takes the direction of the fronts of bodices and the dressing of the neck to the greatest advantage. In order to do this on a proper basis and as easily as possible is here collected some of the latest styles in this class of articles.

An excellent specimen of an addition to a bodice which can be introduced under the jacket or over a plain fitting waist is a bodice front in lawn and embroidery. The frill on either side is of openwork embroidered lawn. The soft silk in front is covered with the same material, but plain and clear, while

BODICE FRONTS.

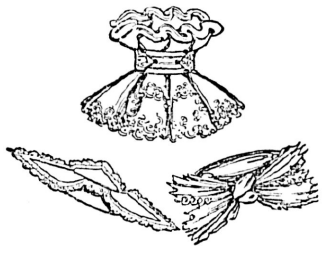
round the throat and down the front is some black tulle worked over with colored paillettes. This admits of a great variety as regards materials.

A useful vest front is of lawn of a Holland color over pink silk, with rows of embroidery carried down the front and around the neck and waist.

Decidedly important is a lisse front with a handsome galloon carried down the center and a bow at the throat which is attached to a wide collar band fastened with a brooch. It is astonishing how, by means of these and similar additions, one can transform a dowdy gown into a dressy one. This is also easily done by paying attention simply to the dressing of the neck.

An attractive article of neckwear is a straight collar made in pink lisse, with kilt plaited ends edged with lace, a couple of ornaments crossing in front. A lace and lisse ruff affords another pretty style. It has an upstanding plaited ruche and a frill of lace turning downward, supplemented by a double frill in front, the band kept in place by jeweled ornaments.

Pailletted laces are quite the fashion. The collar bands are getting higher, but are softened by overlapping lace frills at the top, which often form a couple of cascades at the back, consisting of two triple box plaits, while some of these collar bands have kilt plaited ribbon, and large clusters of bows appear in the front or at the back. Other collar bands with lace ends have square battlemented pieces of lace, or ribbon edged with lace, falling over from the top, and satin (especially white satin), lisse and lace are all united. The gauze employed for



ARTICLES OF NECKWEAR.

these little additions is often elaborately embroidered, while the holland colored lawn is worked in white and also has cream lace appliques. Black and white net are liberally employed, and a great many black pailletted fronts and chine ribbon bands have been worn. The blouses, which are fitted like a bodice, with all the care bestowed on a dress, are well worth having.

ALICE VARNUM.

Diners Out.

Some persons are perpetually invited out to dine, not because they give many dinners in return, but because they are recognized as good dinner guests. They are generally provided with plenty of light small talk and the gossip of the day, are pleasant, popular and gifted with that tact which is one of the rarest, as it is one of the most valuable, of possessions. There are others who must be asked as a duty, on account of the dinners they themselves give and who vex the righteous soul of a hostess as often as she has to include their names among the list of her guests. She knows very well that their mere presence will call for a mighty effort to keep the whole dinner from being what has been appropriately call "a frost," and that they will probably outweigh all her efforts.

Vanilla Ice Cream.

Scald a pint of cream and a pint of rich milk. Add a cupful of sugar. When cold, add a teaspoonful of vanilla. Pour the cream into a freezer and turn until the cream is hard, remove the beater, pack the cream in a mold. Wrap a strip of buttered cloth about the edge of the cover and place the mold in a pail filled with mashed ice and coarse salt. Cover closely with old carpet. This ice cream costs about half as much as that ordered from a caterer and is about as good, according to Good Housekeeping. It can be varied by using other extracts for flavoring, or a cupful of fruit juice—peach, strawberry or raspberry.

One Way to Serve Currants.

Wash and pick from the stem, rejecting the poor ones, a quart of currants. Put them in a fancy dish and sprinkle over them 5 tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, a teaspoonful of powdered cinnamon and a gill of brandy or wine. Stir gently and let the dish stand in a cold place an hour before serving.

SEEN IN THE SHOPS.

The Newest Designs and Fabrics For Dress Decorations.

Denims still hold their own. Various changes have been rung on this line, but its popularity has never waned. Just now it makes a new bid for favor in the embroidered portieres, couch covers, sofa pillows and roll cases that are the newest designs seen in this domestic fabric. It cannot be purchased by the yard, as it comes just in the proper lengths for either purpose. The embroidery on the portiere runs down one side and across the bottom; it is done in white, and the patteru is a trifle heavier in the corner. Those for a couch have the embroidery all around the edge, forming an attractive border. Both of these articles have a finish of fringe. The denim comes in all the prevailing shades, blue, pink, red, sage green, old rose and Spanish brown. Some of the articles are further enhanced with a geometrical design in white, appliqued on in the middle, and on this is a little outline design of the same color as the body of the material. Screens also come to match all of these. Couch covers are $6.75 and the portieres $2.95 per pair.

Sofa cushions intended for the porch, hammock, yachts, etc., are usually quite gay, the brilliant coloring being permissible out of doors. The upholsterers are making up the gayest plaids imaginable into these pillows. They resemble the gaudy bandana of the old southern negro. However, it is a new fabric and is called madras, and is similar to Scotch gingham. The colors are fast, and they form one of the most serviceable and inexpensive of sofa pillows. They are finished simply with a very fine hemmed ruffle of the same goods. The material comes in two yard lengths, at $1.20, or made up, but of not so good a quality, for $1. Decorator and Furnisher, which makes this report, also adds:

Renaissance lace is the accepted style for all purposes where white lace is used—window curtains, table linen and the covers for dressing cases and stands. Window curtains with this lace may be had from $6.75 up to $275 per pair.

Some new designs in silkolines, a cheap fabric somewhat resembling china silk, are quite pretty and stylish and in excellent tones of color. These are universally used for light summer draperies and are so cheap that they can be discarded at the end of the season without violating one's conscience.

Simplest Form of Popover.

The breakfast popover is made with ordinary wheat flour. Sift 2 cups of flour with half a teaspoonful of salt. Add gradually 2 cups of milk, and when a smooth batter has been obtained mix 2 eggs without separating the whites and yolks. Add a teaspoonful of butter, melted. Beat the batter thoroughly; pour it at once into the cups of stoneware, well buttered. Do not melt the butter or heat the cups, but butter the cold cups with unmelted butter. Do not fill the cups more than half full.

Bake the cakes in a quick oven until, true to their name, they rise far above the edges of the cups and hang over them in a rich brown crust.

This cake is nice for breakfast when served with either silver drip sirup or cream sauce; or it may be eaten, like a muffin, with butter. It is often served as a plain dessert, with sweetened cream.

A Cool Effect In a Cottage.

A woman with a fondness for cool effects has made a charming corner in her summer cottage by the liberal use of green denim and white linen. The New York Journal says: The divan is covered with green denim. The pillows are of plain green denim, plain white linen and green and white crape cloth. The covers were made with buttons and button holes, so that they could be readily laundered. The screen at the foot of the divan was of green and white crape cloth shirred over a white wooden frame. The white tea table was set out with pale green china, and the white shelf that extended around the corner half way up the wall had bits of green bric-a-brac in glass and pottery upon it.

Peach Meringue.

Slice ripe peaches into long high glasses. Fill up with boiled soft custard and heap meringue on top. Serve ice cold. The custard commonly known as floating island is suited to this purpose.

Little Girl's Dress.

For a little girl just out of long clothes and walking about, the quaint style of long skirts or high waisted bodices is much adopted. A pretty summer frock is made in fine white nainsook or mull muslin, the skirt long and rather full and trimmed round the hem with a three inch frill of spotted white mus-

FOR A WEE GIRL.

lin. The bodice, a high waisted one, is also of the muslin, put on to the skirt with a broad band about four inches deep of torchon lace insertion placed over a piece of cambric. The sleeves are arranged in simple puffs, with a strip of the insertion down the center and completed with soft frills of the muslin. The neck is completed with a frill of lace. This will be found a good washing design, and, of course, the idea could be carried out in colored lawns and swiss embroideries with good effect.

CAPES AND TRIMMINGS.

Green and Gold, a Combination Which Harmonizes With Almost Everything.

Green, which is one of the supremely fashionable colors of the season, is much employed for elaborate capes, richly adorned. Gold embroidery and beading show to great advantage upon it, and the color itself is well suited to sumptuous decorations. It will, moreover, harmonize with nearly all other colors now used in millinery and is admirably calculated to set off the Louis Quinze gowns so much worn at present, made of pompadour taffeta, sprinkled with foliage and roses.

Gauze in both black and white as well as mousseline de soie will be the dominant note in trimmings for summer gowns. Lace and guipure will also be worn, and white tulle is the newest addition to these light adornments. The last named material ornaments ball and other evening

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gowns and is seen on hats and in the shape of fichus, scarfs, belts, cravats, collarettes, jabots, as a frill for the wrists, as a puffed guimpe or as the drapery for sleeves. Flowers, paste ornaments and buttons of steel or inlaid pearl are combined with it—flowers for evening, and the other decorations for fanciful day gowns where flowers would be out of place. By this is meant a large quantity of flowers, for it is quite permissible to wear a little cluster of blossoms on the shoulder or at the bosom of a nice day gown.

Women who like the belted bodice, but are inclined to avoid it for fear of being made by it to appear larger than is desirable, will welcome the return of the pointed corsage, which elongates and decreases the apparent size of the waist. The belt forms a point both before and behind, following the line of the hips. There is neither bow nor buckle in front, but at the back there is a knot of short coques.

A sketch is given of a street gown of red and brown plaid wool. The godet skirt is plain. The upper part of the fitted bodice is cut in deep points over a yoke of red liberty velvet. The whole front of the bodice is ornamented with buttons. Each point has an application of guipure. The bouffant sleeves are of plaid wool, the deep cuffs being of red velvet covered with an application of guipure. The pointed belt is of red velvet. JUDIC CHOLLET.

ELABORATE GOWNS.

Trains of Reception Costumes—White Satin Bridal Dresses.

The larger number of wedding gowns are made of plain white satin. A heavy quality is usually chosen, as the beauty of satin lies in its thickness and richness. Snow white is most becoming to delicate blonds, cream to more robust fair women, while ivory suits brunettes. The most elegant style for the bridal robe is the princess, closed either at the back or the side.

There are different ways of finishing and ornamenting the bodice in front, but the back is left quite simple, the perfect fit and the long, sweeping lines being sufficient in themselves.

The bride's skirt should be long and should have ample godets, or hollow plaits

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expanding toward the base. The petticoat does not need to have a train, but should touch the floor all around, whether it is of muslin, nainsook or silk. If it is of muslin, one alone will not suffice, as it has not body enough to sustain the skirt.

Costumes of ceremony, for receptions and balls at which the wearer does not dance, have a train from 12 to 18 inches long. When the ball gown is of thin goods which cannot be lined, but is made over a silk foundation, the silk skirt is cut of the proper form and length and is stiffened with crinoline or haircloth. The gauze falls over this skirt and is tacked to it at the seams, a little above the foot, to prevent it from becoming displaced.

The illustration that is given today shows a tailor made gown of light blue cloth. The godet skirt is plain save that each seam is covered with a stitched strap of cloth. The bodice has a slight point back and front and fastens diagonally with three large paste buttons. It opens over a chemisette of white plaited gauze. The high collar and open yoke are of blue cloth embroidered with white and are ornamented with buttons. The sleeves terminate in a point over the hand and have a stitched strap extending lengthwise. The collarette is of gauze. A hat of rice straw is worn, trimmed with red flowers, fans of white and peacock feathers.

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Notice is also given that from and after Thursday, the 20th inst., no new pupils will be admitted during the present term to the primary or 8th Grade of the City Public Schools.

In accordance with Article 3, of the Rules and Regulations for the Government of Public Schools in British Columbia, the Public Schools of this city will reopen on Monday, the 10th August, 1896, at 9 a.m.

By order.

B. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Victoria, B.C., Aug. 5th, 1896. au6 tf

NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Victoria, 1st September, 1896.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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DIED.

GRAHAM—At his residence, Esquimalt Road, on the 12th inst., Richard Graham, a native of County Tyrone, Ireland, aged 61 years

The funeral will take place on Tuesday at 1:30 p.m., from the residence as above, and from St. Paul's church, Esquimalt, at 2 p.m. Interment at Ross Bay cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

SCHMIDT—At the residence of Mr. John Bing, Russell street Victoria West, on the 13th inst., Mary, relict of the late Carol Schmidt, a native of Stralsund, Germany, aged 77 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Wednesday) at 2 o'clock, from the residence as above. Friends are invited to attend.

A FIELD BATTERY TOO.

The New Duties of No. 1 Company, Though It Will Still Muster as Garrison Artillery.

The completion of the Macaulay Point fortifications has opened a new field of usefulness for the Victoria militia, the latest orders from headquarters being that one of the three companies should be told off to take charge of the movable armament of that and the forts generally. That was the special business which last evening brought together Lieut.-Col. Peters, the District Officer Commanding, and the officers of the 1st Battalion, 5th R. C. A., presided over by Major Gregory—who as commander of the 1st Battalion is in due course to be gazetted Lieut.-Colonel. The new duties will have the fascination of novelty, and of course individual officers and men alike have preferences between garrison and field artillery work, so that it became a matter of great interest which company should be assigned to the new duties. All having agreed upon this method of choice, lots were drawn, and the duty thus fell to No. 1 Company, Major Sargison's. This company will therefore now proceed to drill as a field battery, being relieved of work on the big guns. For this purpose two of the 13-pounder field guns now at the Point will be brought up to the drill hall at once. Besides the 13-pounders, the company will have to make themselves familiar with the machine and quickfiring guns which are part of the armament.

Another matter discussed at the meeting last evening was the basket picnic to be held by the Battalion at Peduer Bay next Saturday afternoon. This is expected to be a decidedly enjoyable event, and it will certainly be under distinguished patronage, the Naval, Military and Civil authorities alike kindly bestowing their favor upon it.

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A relic of the sad fate which befel the British bark Cadzow Forest after sailing from Portland, Ore., was brought from the North by the steamship Danube, Capt. Meyer, arriving on Sunday evening. The treasure, for such it is regarded by the many friends of those who were lost and have heard of its finding, is in the shape of a life preserver, which, as previously reported, was found on the shore of Prize island by the Indians in April last. The Danube came in very heavily laden, her cargo comprising 20,861 cases of salmon, of which 5,077 cases are from the Standard cannery, 5,284 cases from Cunningham's, 3,500 from Lowe Inlet, 5,000 from the Whannock, and 2,000 cases from the Rivers Inlet. As passengers the steamer brought 43 first class and 133 steerage. Among the former are several cannery managers and four miners from the Tom creek mine, Omineca. The Danube passed the Barbara Boscowitz and Tees on her return trip, both having been on their way North for salmon cargoes. On her trip North the Danube called at Metlahkatla to land Bishop and Mrs. Ridley, whose return to the North was hastened owing to the former's illness, which was, however, relieved as he neared home. Mr. Spencer has entered into a new industry at Alert Bay—that of canning clams. His salmon cannery at Alert Bay is used for the purpose and the bivalves are procured by Indians, generally on a sandy shore which is subjected to tidal changes.

ARRIVAL OF THE "TOPEKA."

When hundreds were gathered on the outer wharf watching for the R.M.S. Empress of China from Vancouver last evening, the Alaskan mail steamship City of Topeka arrived from the North. She had on board a big crowd of passengers. Few, however, landed at Victoria, among them a Yukon miner named John Smith. There was considerable mail brought by the steamer, including a small amount from Ounalaska, which is no doubt from sealing schooners. There was, however, no mail from the Yukon, as up to the date of the Topeka's departure for the South the Canadian mail carrier had not reached the coast. The Alaskan exchanges which were brought by the Topeka contained very little news of interest. The Alaskan says: "A vessel, the name of which we have not been able to ascertain, will leave Cook Inlet on the 1st proximo, conveying all those who desire to leave the locality to Sitka, where she will probably arrive in time to catch the outgoing mail steamer."

MARINE NOTES.

Late on Sunday night the steamship Umatilla got in from San Francisco, bringing over 116 tons of freight, and 14 cabin and eight steerage passengers for Victoria. Sailing from here on the Walla Walla last evening were the following passengers: A. Ward and wife, Miss L. Doe, Miss M. Herbert, Miss M. McManus, Miss Sarah A. Cocker, Mrs. W. D. Dalton and child, Chas. G. Gill, A. M. Gross, Thos. Caldwell, Mrs. A. Mabie, Mrs. E. H. O'Neill and child, Mrs. S. Millar and children, and Mrs. L. Kosche.

A report comes from Port Townsend that the Topeka will now be taken off the Alaskan route, the Mexico taking her place owing to the growing trade.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

British Columbia's Lawn Tennis Representative Back Again From the Eastern Tournaments.

Cowichan Football Club Reorganized for the Season—Saturday's Road Race.

Mr. J. F. Foulkes returned yesterday morning from Toronto, bringing with him three fine silver cups as the trophies won by him in the tennis tournaments at Niagara-on-the-Lake and at Toronto. One of these cups is for the open international handicap at Niagara, another is the "runner up prize" in the open doubles at Toronto and the third is the "runner up prize" in the singles at Toronto, where in the semi-finals against Ware, Foulkes at one time wanted only one stroke to win. The visit of Mr. Foulkes to Ontario to compete as the representative of British Columbia in the international tournament held on the beautiful grounds of the Queen's Royal hotel at Niagara-on-the-Lake will be of considerable importance to the welfare of the game in the West. The international tournament follows directly in the wake of that held at Newport, where the championship of the United States is decided annually, thereby enabling all the tennis experts competing in that great tourney to take part in the Canadian tournament. It is only necessary to mention the names of George Wrenn, Neale, Whitman, Ware Sheldon, Davis and Avery to realize that the very best exponents of the game battled for the honors at Niagara Mr. Foulkes owes to the "father of tennis," George Wright (of Messrs. Wright & Ditson), a deep debt of gratitude for pointing out his error in playing with an entirely useless racquet, and presenting him with one of his brand new "Pims." In Mr. Foulkes' first match with the new weapon his opponent failed to score more than three strikes in the two sets which decided the match. The British Columbian's chief victory was in the open handicap international singles, when he decisively defeated Messrs. Davis, Whitman and Wrenn, playing the former without handicap, the two latter owing him ½ 15 and 15 respectively.

Foulkes played the game of his life against Wrenn, fairly beating him on his merits, as owing to the good showing he made at Niagara Foulkes was made to owe 30, thus ranking him with the limit men. Mr. Foulkes says that the game as played by the Eastern cracks is a volley game with accurate playing, and faster than on the Coast. For example, Neil, the winner of the international cup, has a high serve, and then follows up to the net, where he keeps the play at all costs. The game is more made a study of in the East than here, though as far as Foulkes is concerned the Eastern papers acknowledge him to be the best of the Canadian players. Mr. P. S. Lampman, who was B. C.'s other representative, fairly struck terror into the novice tyros in the doubles and was dubbed "the silver haired mystery from the West." Mr. Foulkes speaks very highly of the hospitable treatment he met with in the East, especially at the hands of the Toronto Athletic Club.

THE WHEEL.

SATURDAY'S ROAD RACE.

Next Saturday's straightaway road race from Victoria to Sidney gives promise of being a very interesting and well fought contest, a number of riders having already entered and others being expected to send in their names before the time for action arrives. Charles Bush, Frank Leroy, Robert Little, L. A. Wolff, E. W. Bradley and F. Penwill are among the early entries, and these with the other strong riders of Victoria should ensure creditable time and a close finish. In one way all who compete will have an equal chance, be they slow riders or fast, for a third and very handsome prize had been provided to be drawn for by lottery, every rider finishing the course having an equal chance. The race will be started at about 2 o'clock and should be finished within an hour and a half at most.

ATHLETICS.

CHRISTAL ISSUES A CHALLENGE.

Ed. Christal, of 154 Douglas street, who, though not a giant in stature, has performed feats of strength and skill that have astonished two hemispheres, is very anxious to arrange a contest with Lucian Marc, who, according to report, is visiting Seattle. Christal for years was a noted circus performer, and his regular lifting weight was 1,150 pounds. It was he who originated the trick of having a cannon fired from his shoulder, and he used to put up 125 pounds with each hand, which, considering the fact that he then weighed less than 140 pounds, was an extraordinary feat. For a long time too he was champion lightweight wrestler of the world.

FOOTBALL.

COWICHAN CLUB RO-ORGANIZED.

The Cowichan football club which in past seasons has proved itself a very formidable organization was re-organized under very favorable auspices last Saturday, officers being elected as follows: F. H. Maitland-Dougall, president: H. T. Fall, captain; E. H. Hicks-Beach, vice-president; F. Lomas, secretary-treasurer, and H. T. Fall, E. H. Hicks-Beach, F. Lomas, G. Mellin and R. Harris, committee. Matches can be arranged on application to the secretary at Duncan, B.C.

HERE AND THERE.

The executive committee of the Y. M. C. A. rowing club will meet in the association rooms this evening at 8 o'clock to make final arrangements for the last club regatta of the season, to be held on Saturday next, the 19th inst.

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ACTIVITY AT ALBERNI.

Inspection of Mines by H. Pellew Harvey—Contract Awarded for Road Building.

Stamp Mill for Mineral Creek—Forest Fires in the Neighborhood.

ALBERNI, Sept. 14. — (Special) — H. Pellew Harvey, of Vancouver, metallurgist, arrived in town and left at once with George Brown to inspect the Missing Link, Champion, Ace of Spades, King Solomon and Bledsoe Creek mines.

F. B. Pemberton, of Victoria, has arrived here and has let the contract for building the graded road to the new townsite.

Work on the erection of the building of the stamp mill at Mineral creek is about completed, and the boiler will soon be in a permanent position.

Fires are still raging around Mineral Hill and the Alberni road.

The Quadra Mining Co. have finished surveying all their property.

The Maude left yesterday morning with a large number of people.

SEIZURE OF THE "VIVA."

Cause Similar to That of the Arrest of the "Ainoka" and "Beatrice."

At Neah Bay—Her Arrival in Port Looked for To-Day or To-Morrow.

J. Bishop, S. Collinson and three hunters of the Victoria sealing schooner Viva arrived in from sea in a rowboat yesterday morning, having left the vessel becalmed off Neah bay. The fact that the vessel is returning home is significant of her seizure, but the news first brought to San Francisco by the steamer Homer was further corroborated by the men who have arrived. The alleged cause of the Viva's seizure is similar to that in the cases of the Ainoka and Beatrice—the first two seized schooners to return. She was overhauled by the U. S. cutter Rush on August 24 and seized for being within the 60 mile zone. Captain Pike, who considered himself at least 18 miles outside the proscribed waters, was informed that his chronometer was out several minutes. His vessel was taken in tow to Ounalaska, and there having been turned over to the British man-of-war, was ordered home. Her arrival is looked for to-day or to-morrow, for the first breeze will probably carry her to port.

THE WORK OF THE EXPERTS.

Letters to Mrs. Jordan from President Jordan, brought by the steamer Homer, contain the news that he may return by way of Japan when his work in the Behring sea is completed. The letters were written from St. Paul island of the Pribyloff group, about the middle of August, just before Dr. Jordan and the British commissioner, Professor Thompson, started for the Commander islands on the British warship Satellite. Dr. Jordan stated that it might be necessary for the Satellite to run down to Hakodati on Yedo island, Japan, to coal, and in that case he would take a steamer from there home in order to save time, as his work in the Behring sea would be completed. If he should return by the steamer Albatross he expected to reach Seattle about October 1, and home by the 5th. His private secretary, G. A. Clark, will remain a month longer on the work of the Sealing Commission, returning about November 1. Dr. Jordan wrote that the problems with which the commission had to deal had been found much more difficult and puzzling than the members had expected, but that the investigation had proved of great interest scientifically and gave promise of being of immense economic value. The commission believes that its work will settle the question of the cause of the destruction of the seal herd and lead to steps that will restore the sealing industry to its former importance.

ACTION FOR CONDEMNATION.

Action for condemnation of the seized sealing schooner Aurora was begun in the Admiralty court yesterday by Messrs. Davie, Pooley & Luxton, on behalf of the Imperial government. The general charge against the vessel is that she contravened the Behring sea act by using fire-arms for sealing purposes in the Behring sea. Messrs. Drake, Jackson and Helmcken are acting for the defence. The crew of the Aurora were paid off yesterday.

It has been decided that the meeting of the Provincial Lacrosse Association to consider the protest against Suckling, of Vancouver, will be held on Friday evening.

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SEEKING A RANGE.

The Ships Will Have to Leave Victoria Unless the Militia Department Spends Money at Goldstream.

An unsettled question just now is where the men of the Royal Navy are to do their annual rifle practice—a question of particular interest to Victoria as it may mean the prolonged absence of the ships if, as seems possible, the range at Comox has to be resorted to. Formerly the Navy had a range at the Esquimalt lagoon, but since the fortification work has been going on that has been closed. The Victoria city range at Clover Point is out of the question for several reasons, it being neither safe nor well appointed; and the only other in this vicinity is the range of the provincial rifle association at Goldstream. It is understood that that would readily be placed at the disposal of the Navy, and they are said to be prepared to use it but for the fact that certain alterations are required to make the range quite safe for their purposes.

Who is to make these alterations, is said to be the stumbling-block. The Navy hesitate at expenditure on a range not their own; and the provincial rifle association would probably not feel justified in spending any of their funds in making alterations not required for their purposes.

The Dominion government include the Goldstream range in their official list of government ranges, and they make a grant to the provincial association for its rent. The general opinion appears to be that if it is not safe for all purposes the militia department ought to stand the expense of the alterations required; and if prompt action is taken in the matter the ships will probably remain here for this season's firing in place of going North. It is understood that an estimate of the cost of the necessary alterations has been made, and that the amount is only about one hundred dollars.

THE CONVICT DALY.

Dynamiting Repudiated by the Released Prisoner as Unworthy of the Irish.

LIMERICK, Sept. 14.—Upon the arrival here of John Daly, the released Irish dynamiter, the mayor and corporation of the town met him and an ovation was tendered to him by many thousand people. In replying to an address Daly spoke in a strain similar to that of his address in Dublin yesterday, when he repudiated the dynamite policy, and said he thought that Irishmen were too noble and generous to advance such principles. Daly also paid a visit to his mother in this city. The houses of Limerick were illuminated to-night, and there was a torchlight procession in his honor.

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